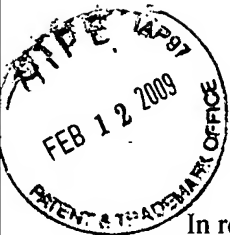




<b>REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>		Attorney Docket No.		2045.1001			
		Application Number		10/528,469			
		Filing Date		March 21, 2005			
		First Named Inventor		DINGWALL et al			
		Group Art Unit		3677			
AMOUNT ENCLOSED		\$980.00		Examiner Name		REESE, David C.	
<b>FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)</b>							
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations		
TOTAL CLAIMS	39	- 43 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	- 3 =	3	X \$ 220.00 =	\$ 660.00		
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of September 7, 2007, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$460)); (3 months (\$1,050)); (4 months (\$1,640)); (5 months (\$2,230)):					\$ 0.00		
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$510.00)							
Extension of Time Fee (2-months)					\$ 490.00		
Request for Continued Examination					\$ 810.00		
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)							
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					\$ 0.00		
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 1,960.00		
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					\$ -980.00		
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE =</b>					<b>\$ 980.00</b>		
<small>(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".  (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".  (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".  (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".</small>							
<b>METHOD OF PAYMENT</b>							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check enclosed as payment or <u>Credit Card Payment Authorization form</u> for payment provided. <span style="float: right;"></span>							
<b>GENERAL AUTHORIZATION</b>							
<input type="checkbox"/> If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: <div style="margin-left: 40px;"> Deposit Account No. <span style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 150px; height: 1.2em; vertical-align: middle;"></span>  Deposit Account Name <span style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 150px; height: 1.2em; vertical-align: middle;"></span> </div>							
<input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.							
SUBMITTED BY: Ajay Pathak, Esq.							
Typed Name		Ajay Pathak		Reg. No.		38,266	
Signature				Date		February 12, 2009	



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:  
DINGWALL ET AL.

Docket No.: 2045.1001 (formerly 4292-101)

Serial No. 10/528,469  
Confirmation No. 4878

Group Art Unit: 3677

Filed: March 21, 2005

Examiner: David C. REESE

For: COMPONENT INTERLOCKING

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed **September 12, 2008** having an extendible **December 12, 2008** due date, please consider and enter this **Amendment** into the file of the above-identified application.

To do so, Applicants petition for a 2-month extension of time to extend the due date from **December 12, 2008** to and including **February 12, 2009**. Applicants submit the requisite 2-month extension of time fee in the amount of \$245.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2). Applicants submit this paper with a Request for Continue Examination (RCE) and its associated RCE fee of \$405.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). Applicants also submit the requisite excess claims fee in the amount of \$330.00 for 3 excess independent claims. Accordingly, payment in the total amount of \$980.00 (\$245.00 + \$405.00 + \$330.00) is submitted herewith by way of credit card authorization form attached hereto. No additional fees are believed to be due.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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